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# TWO-THIRDS FIGHT DROPPED

## Democratic Chiefs



Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas . . . Democratic leader in Senate and 1928 nominee for vice president, who is expected to play big part at Chicago.



Governor Roosevelt, of New York . . . far in the lead in the big Democratic steeplechase, but still facing the hurdles.



Newton D. Baker, of Ohio . . . he drafted millions when secretary of war, now he's ready if convention decides to draft him.

## Southern Ice Co. Denies Restoring Price of 60 Cents

Is Maintaining 50-Cent Schedule, Manager Spraggins Says

**WEIGHT INCREASED**  
30 Pounds Instead of 25 Now Delivered for 15 Cents

Southern Ice & Utilities Co. is continuing the 50-cent price as ordered by the Arkansas Railroad Commission, charging that price both at the platform and delivered at home, Manager Spraggins of the Hope plant said Monday.

His statement was in reply to reports downtown that the company had gone back to the old rate of 60 cents a hundred.

**30 Pounds for 15 Cents**

Mr. Spraggins denied this. The company used to deliver 25 pounds for 15 cents, he said. Icemen are still collecting 15 cents for the popular-priced piece, but are delivering 30 pounds instead of 25—figuring 50 cents a hundred.

This is being done, Mr. Spraggins said, to avoid the inconvenience of the half-penny which enters into a deal for 25 pounds, now worth 12½ cents. However, deliverymen will cut out this size on demand, he said.

The main delivery business used to be in 50, 25 and 20-pound sizes, and now is in 50, 30 and 20 pounds, the manager continued.

**42 Cents Contract**

Mr. Spraggins said that while the company gets 50 cents a hundred at the platform or in the home, for cash or coupons, it gets only 42 cents on the year-round contract rate in the home.

Under the 40-cent schedule, Mr. Spraggins said, the average price of all sales in Hope was about 47 cents, and under the 50-cent schedule, he estimates that the average price will be 45 cents, although his figures on this are not yet complete.

## Fulton Negro Dies of Gunshot Wound

**Willie Martin Dead—Second Negro in County Jail**

Willie Martin, 27-year-old Fulton negro, died at Josephine hospital Sunday afternoon from shotgun wounds inflicted by another negro, Alonzo Smith alias Alonzo Jackson when the two fought in a railroad car at Fulton early Sunday.

A quarrel started when Smith failed to find a 12-pound sack of flour, which he purchased Saturday night. It was said that Martin took the flour and hid it in his own locker. The two fought and then Smith walked to the home of his step-father, six miles from Fulton and obtained a shotgun.

On his return the controversy was renewed. Smith leveled the shotgun and fired at Martin while the latter was lying in bed. The load, No. 6 squirrel shot, entered Martin's stomach, tearing loose the liver and puncturing a lung.

Martin was brought to Josephine hospital, where physicians said there was no hope for his recovery. He died Sunday afternoon.

Smith surrendered to Fulton officers Sunday morning. He is held in jail at Washington.

## Brough to Speak Here at 8 Tuesday

### Senatorial Candidate Is Touring State With Mrs. Brough

Dr. Charles H. Brough, former governor and candidate for the United States senate, will speak at the city hall in Hope Tuesday at 8 p. m. He will speak on the more important national issues which will confront the senate during the next few years.

Ex-Governor Brough, who is known as an orator, is making a personal campaign, driving through the state in company with Mrs. Brough, and claims that the greatest item of his campaign expense is gasoline and oil. He will also speak at Prescott and Blevins on Tuesday and will make addresses at Ashdown and Texarkana on Wednesday.

### Chile Fights White Plague

SANTIAGO, Chile—(P)—The ministry of health in the junta government has initiated a nation-wide campaign against tuberculosis, stating that the disease has been gaining ground rapidly in Chile. A special commission was put in charge of the drive.

## Bulletins

FLEMINGTON, N. J.—(P)—The prosecution won the first engagement in the trial of John Hughes Curtis, alleged Lindbergh case boxer, who opened here Monday, when a motion by the defense asking for removal of one of the prosecution's attorneys, was overruled. Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, as a witness, sat at the table opposite Curtis.

## Britain Proposes Colonial Tariffs to Blockade U. S.

**American Sales to Canada May Be Cut to Fraction**

**TO CONFER IN JULY**  
British Delegates Will Gather Next Month at Ottawa, Canada

(Editors: This is the last of two stories on the forthcoming British conference at Ottawa. It explains the possible effects on American export trade.)

By ALVIN HALLMAN

LONDON.—(P)—America's two best customers, Canada and the British Isles, may cut their purchases in the United States to a fraction of their present huge total if the Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa, July 1, lives up to the hopes of its proponents.

Most of the dominions will fight for preferences for their products in the markets of the United Kingdom, where the needs of 45,000,000 people for food and raw materials must be filled. Next to that outlet, they desire the trade of Canada.

At the moment both are pre-eminently consumers of exports from the United States. But after July, what?

### Tariff Against U. S.

If Britain decides to "buy British," as placards posted all over the empire for these many months past, plead and advise, new tariff barriers will be erected against the goods of other countries, notably of the United States. And some of the existing barriers will be lowered or demolished for British goods from other parts of the empire.

America's trade with Canada has shown a steady annual increase, despite some preferences created for British goods. In 1931 Canada replaced Great Britain as the first customer of the United States.

In 1930 the United Kingdom bought \$6,000,000 in goods from the United States and sold \$210,000,000 worth to the states; Canada in the same year purchased \$859,000,000 and sold \$402,000.

But much that Canada buys from the United States could also be obtained from the mother country, and if England should agree to get in Canada much of what she now buys from the states, American sales to the two countries would be seriously curtailed.

**6% Acreage Cut, View For Cotton**

### But Government Estimate Not Due Until July 8, as of July 1

MEMPHIS—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—The cotton market during the week June 18th to 24th was steady with price changes narrow. Domestic and foreign demand for spot cotton was stated as slightly improved compared with the rather stagnant conditions which have prevailed for several weeks past. Some reports stated a small volume of new crop business was consumed.

According to the Weather Bureau during the past week the weather in general was favorable for cotton in the western half of the belt but unfavorable because of too much rain in the east. Temperatures averaged near normal in the eastern belt but decidedly above normal in the west.

Trade reports estimating the 1932 cotton acreage present at this time a reduction of around 6 per cent compared with the 1931 acreage.

The government estimate showing the cotton acreage in cultivation on July 1st will be released on Friday July 8th. The government report on acreage in cultivation on July 1st a year ago was 41,500,000 acres and that harvested amounted to 40,500,000.

Average price of middling 7-8 inch as compiled from the quotations of the ten markets June 24th 5.00c compared with 4.90c June 17th and 9.78c on the corresponding day a year ago.

Reported sales of spot cotton by the ten markets continue very light.

Exports to June 24th this season amounted to about 1,700,000 bales over those for the like period a year ago, and to June 24 this season they were about 8,200,000 bales against 6,500,000 last season.

According to the Bureau of Census there were operated at some time during month of May 21,600,000 cotton spinning spindles against 26,400,000 for May 1931.

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### Tom Terral Speaks Here Saturday Night

Tom Terral, governor from 1924 to 1926 and a candidate in the present election, came to Hope Saturday night for a campaign address at 8 o'clock at the city hall.

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## Americans Visit Igorot Tribe of Mountain Men in Philippines

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** What an American girl sees on a trip through the mysterious savage-infested mountains of the Philippines, is revealed in the following article, part of a letter written to Alex H. Washburn by his sister, Mrs. Clark H. Yeager, of Manila, P. I. Mrs. Yeager is the wife of a surgeon in the foreign service of the Rockefeller Health Foundation. They were married at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., in 1927, and returned to Dr. Yeager's post in British Borneo, great island lying between Asia and Australia. In 1929 the Yeagers were stationed at Singapore, and the following year were transferred to the Philippines. The exploration trip of which Mrs. Yeager writes, was made by the doctor, herself, and another couple, starting from Baguio, well into the mountains.

We first visited the Olong of the village, which is a small hut where legends. Clark (Doctor Yeager) ask-

eight to ten maidens live. The girls between 10 and 12 years are taken from their families and live in the Olong, where the young men come to court them. As soon as a girl has a baby then she is married and goes to a little house to live with her husband.

A girl may have only one lover at a time, but a man may have several girls. They have a strict law for immorality, and the immoral ones are severely punished; but where the line is drawn we can't fathom.

The first night we reached Bontoc, the region inhabited by the Igorots, a very stocky, animal-looking tribe of mountain people. We visited several large villages. Their houses are built from bamboo, and dried palm leaves make the roofs. All the houses are built on high stilts or poles. The family cooking and living are done underneath the house; but at night the family climbs upon a notched pole to the upstairs, pulls up the pole, closes the opening—and is safe for the night.

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ed them about the number of deaths and births—all this through an interpreter. They didn't know; but their village was always about the same—1,800 inhabitants or so.

They said they liked the Americans, for they built wonderful roads and were fair.

Now these people only live a two-days journey from Manila. It hardly seems possible.

The next day we went to Banaue, the Ifugao tribe, where famous rice terraces reach for miles, all up and down the mountain sides. It was a glorious sight.

And then returned to Lapu-Lapu mountain starting-point. Reports about the depression in the States are discouraging. In the last few months the depression has hit Manila fairly hard. Many people are leaving for lack of jobs. Salaries have been cut right and left.

## FLAPPER FANNY SAYS

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



Arkansas' Convention thundered into session this morning and east portions of the state were in session this afternoon. The session will be adjourned Monday night.

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## Roosevelt Forces Suddenly Drop Battle Over Rule

Discontent in Southern Delegations Causing New York Men

**BARKLEY, KEYNOTER**

Temporary Chairman Fires Gun Formally Opening Convention

CHICAGO—(AP)—Roosevelt leaders Monday afternoon gave up the fight to abrogate the two-thirds rule on orders from Governor Roosevelt, who said he made his decision in the interest of harmony, confident he could obtain the necessary votes for the nomination.

CHICAGO—(P)—Cheering and demonstrating as orators lambasted the Republicans and asked for prohibition repeal, the Democratic national convention began Monday with a session peaceful on the surface but encircled with a tightening ring of controversy over other matters.

Discontent in the ranks of the Roosevelt Southern delegations led some members of the board of strategy of the New York governor to seriously consider abandoning the fight over the two-thirds nominating rule.

As the convention opened, the board of strategy went into a new session to check up on last-minute results in the state caucuses. Alabama and North Carolina proved to have voted overwhelmingly against Roosevelt.

John J. Raskob, chairman of the national committee, opened the program with a fiery speech loudly supporting Roosevelt's nomination to adopt a platform committing his party to resubmission of the question of repealing the 18th amendment to state conventions.

**Arkansas for Roosevelt**

CHICAGO—(P)—Influenced partly by anti-Smith sentiment, Arkansas delegates have definitely lined up with the Roosevelt forces on selection of a permanent chairman, and on abrogation of the two-thirds rule, it was learned Monday.

The decisions were made at the caucus Sunday, after which it was said that resentment over Smith's attempt to block Roosevelt's nomination had a large part in making the decision.

The delegation also adopted the unit rule.

**The Key-Note Speech**

CHICAGO—(P)—In a keynote speech bristling with denunciation of the Hoover administration, Senator Alben W. Barkley Monday urged the Democratic National Convention to favor a vote by the people on repealing the Eighteenth amendment and called upon the nation to turn the Republicans out of office.

Describing the Republican plank on prohibition as "a promiscuous agglomeration of scrap lumber," the Kentuckian said the Democrats should recommend passage of a congressional resolution to be voted on by state conventions chosen solely for that purpose.

Barkley denounced the Republicans and President Hoover for the "exorbitant and indefensible rates" of the Smoot-Hawley tariff act and promised to "lift tariff-making above the scurvy processes of log-rollers and back-scratchers."

He excoriated the administration's farm policy and said the Democrats would undertake "to remove from the shoulders of agriculture a portion of the unnatural burden which it bears because others have been able to shift it there through special legislation in their own behalf."

Paying his respects to the Hoover administration, the keynote speaker said that the President "and his Republican Congress took charge of the government" on March 4, 1929, and added:

"But every prediction, every promise, every assurance made by them to obtain votes has turned to ashes in their hands, and every pretense has been exposed in all its naked affectation."

"Agriculture has continued its collapse. Industry has languished beyond any previous record. Credit has been restricted until finance and productive enterprise are frightened and stagnant and there is constantly marching a greater army of unemployed men and women in search of honest toil than has ever been experienced by this or any other nation."

**Only Mismanagement**

"There is nothing wrong with this republic," he added, "except that it has been mismanaged, exploited and demoralized for more than a decade by a leadership incomparably short-sighted and bereft of true statesmanship, incapable of understanding and

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## The Star's Platform

**CITY**  
Expanding the resources of the municipal power plant to develop the hydroelectric power resources of Hope.

**COUNTY**  
County highway program providing for the construction of a system of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the number of mud roads.

**STATE**  
Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempestdale county's greatest agricultural and business back-grounds.

**Dreamers**  
County highway program providing for the construction of a system of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the number of mud roads.

**STATE**  
Opposed progress on the state highway program.

**STATE**  
Opposed

# SOCIETY NEWS

By S. C. Henry

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Carefully friend, some hearts are very sore  
And quicker at the lightest blow of truth  
Is it then asking of you quite too much  
That you should speak your careless words no more?  
See how life feeds on crumbs of hope  
And how it starves amid a cold disdain!

Note how in solitude the soul will move,  
Yet won by kindness to its joy again;

And kind words cost so little while a smile

Is easier born than scornful words of frown.

Yet half the world seems trying all the while

To drown their poorer, weaker neighbors down.

Oh, strange neglect and woeeful lack of thought!

Was this the lesson that the master taught? — Selected.

Herman Valentine has returned from a two week's stay in Dallas, Texas, where he had special violin instruction from Mrs. Walter J. Fried, by arrangement of Mrs. R. A. Boyett, who is the Dallas guest of her daughter, Mrs. P. D. Smith and Mr. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Porterfield, Mrs. J. Weldon Crawford and little son Billy and Mrs. Walter Brummett of Little Rock were week end guests of Mrs. E. G. Porterfield and other relatives.

Miss Zillpha and Mary Louise Keith left Sunday for a visit with friends and relatives in Stamps, Magnolia and Monroe, La.

Mrs. A. K. Holloway and Miss Margaret Taylor spent Friday visiting in Shreveport.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Coop, Mrs. Lloyd Coop and little daughter, Rosemary were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Keith, for the dedication of the new First Christian church in Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carter and child

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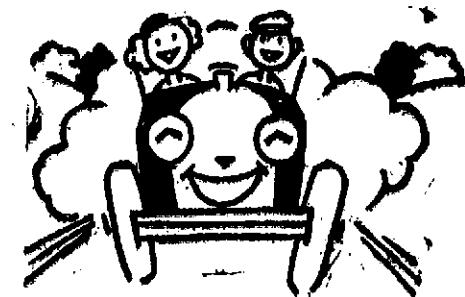


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## 50 Tots Entered in Saenger Revue

### Miniature Revue of Small Folks Tuesday and Wednesday

The Tiny Tot Revue, to be presented Tuesday and Wednesday in addition to the showing of "Reserved for Ladies," with Leslie Howard and Benita Hume, will be the last special Merchants' Hart Times Boosters performance for the summer—and from present indications it will be the biggest show ever offered in Hope.

Almost 50 tiny tots are already on the entry list, representing as many merchants in Hope and vicinity. Mr.

Day and Miss Webb were busy all day Friday and Saturday, calling on the parents of the many youngsters who will appear in the contest for first, second and third honors.

Many unique and beautiful costumes are being made by some of the merchants for the kiddies representing their particular firm. The revue will take place at 8 p. m. both nights. The first night will be elimination night and Wednesday will be award night when the prizes will be presented.

Many merchants signified their intentions of making a present to the entry sponsored by their firm besides the first, second and third honors awarded by the sponsors of the revue.

Monday night will be the last showing of "The Strange Love of Molly Louvane," with Ann Dvorak and Lee Tracy.

### To Fight Bribe System

SYDNEY.—(P)—Business men here, with secret inner council of six of Australia's leading citizens, have, at the instance of the Rotary organization, formed an Anti-Bribery and Secret Commissions Protection league.

For some years bribery has been increasing. Business men found they had to pay "commissions" and give "presents," mostly to politicians, to obtain big orders and contracts.

Miss Mary Cornelia Holloway of this city will appear in the Dance Revue, presented by Miss Pauline Harris on Monday evening at the Paramount Theatre in Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Max Cox and son Willard Pollard attended the dedication service at the First Christian church in Texarkana on Sunday.

Mrs. K. G. McRae spent the week end visiting with relatives in Little Rock.

Misses Dorothy Wright and Virginia Hutchens spent Sunday in Little Rock.

### Hospital Notes

Miss Augusta Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, of Patmos, underwent an operation at Josephine hospital Sunday.

Dr. G. E. Cannon and family will return to Hope Monday evening after spending a vacation in southern Missouri, Memphis and, Nashville, Tenn. While at Memphis Dr. Cannon attended an X-ray meeting.

Miss Anne Waggoner left Josephine hospital Saturday afternoon following a minor operation there.

Mrs. John S. Moore, Hope Route 5, left Julia Chester hospital Monday after being confined there for several days.

I. E. Tucker, of Lewisville, left Julia Chester hospital Monday afternoon after an operation a few days ago.

Mrs. T. G. Gates is recuperating at the Julia Chester hospital after an emergency operation Saturday night.

## 6 Are Drowned in Oklahoma Floods

### 14 Water Fatalities Over Week-End in Southern States

CHICKASAW, Okla.—(P)—Sudden floods Sunday in south central Oklahoma claimed six lives, three of them children.

They were drowned in Rush creek when 18 persons were plunged into the water after a bridge collapsed as the party in a wagon was attempting to make the crossing.

Fourteen in South

ATLANTA.—(P)—Eight persons were drowned in the South as thousands flocked to the beaches or went on outings over the week-end, seeking relief from the heat.

Other accidents raised the total deaths to 14.

### Mexican City Is Shaken by 'Quake

### Tidal Wave at Colima Followed by Three Tremblors

MEXICO CITY.—(P)—A dispatch Monday from Colima, which was hit by a tidal wave last week, said that city was shaken by three fairly sharp earthquakes.

They were accompanied by low rumblings which terrified the people. No lives were reported lost.

### ROOSEVELT FORCES

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dealing with fundamental causes, and incapable even now in the midst of its fearful havoc of understanding the extent of its own mischief."

THE ARTIST blends colors. The cigarette maker blends tobaccos.

The artist must use just the right amount of each color to get a pleasing effect. And the cigarette blender must use just the right amount of the right kinds of tobacco to get a better and more pleasing taste. Both must know how!

...we must by some means remove from the body of our nation, let every man, woman, and child be sick and debilitated, the dead and decayed bones resulting from 12 years of Republican "quackery."

Burke continued:

"We must apply to the hopeful but misguided patient the recognized process of a Democracy which for a century and a half has responded to the emergencies which have always beset us at the end of every period of Republican control which lasted long enough for its vitus to take effect."

The keynote speech:

Concerning the Eighteenth amendment, Burley said "so long as it is a part of the Constitution 'no citizen of the republic has a legal or moral right to violate it,' and added:

"Whatever may be the divergent views of men and women on the merits or demerits of the Eighteenth amendment as a national policy, it is conceivable that this or any other part of the Constitution of the United States should apply to only a part and not the whole of the American nation. That great instrument declares that this Constitution and the laws made in pursuance thereof shall be the supreme law of the land." But it cannot be the supreme law of the land if it is to be abrogated by the people of a part of the land while remaining in force over the rest of them. Such a conception destroys the very nature and structure of the Constitution, for if it can be made thus to qualify one of its provisions it may be made to qualify all of them. This would be the end of the Constitution itself.

"Under these circumstances this convention owes it to the people of the nation to make its declaration upon this subject clear, understandable and unequivocal. There is no reason why any political declaration should look in every direction and see nothing."

URGES PROHIBITION

"In order, therefore, to obtain the present will of the American people on this subject of universal control over this convention should be adopted recom-

ended here to be adopted recom-

